GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Infrastructure & Investment Department – Development of Commercial Port at Kona village, Thondangi Mandal, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh under PPP mode (DBFOT) –Award of the Concession to M/s.Kakinada SEZ Limited – Extension of time for financial closure -Orders – Issued.

INFRASTRUCTURE & INVESTMENT (PORTS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 15 Dated: 13-03-2020

Read the following;

1. G.O.Ms.No.10, I&I (Ports.I) Dept, dated 03-12-2007.
2. G.O.Ms.No.20, E,I&I(Ports) Dept. dated 26.06.2018
3. Letter No.KGPL/PORT/2019-20/009, Dt: 26.10.2019 received from Kakinada Gateway Port Limited.
4. From the DoP, AP., Kakinada LR. No.SE/PP2/3502/2011, dt.13-11-2019

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ORDER:

Orders were issued in the G.O. first read above declaring the Kakinada Special Economic Zone Port as Minor Port in East Godavari District. Further, permission was accorded to M/s.Kakinada SEZ Pvt Ltd to construct captive port to handle only SEZ cargo subject to certain conditions.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Government have issued orders awarding the Concession to M/s.Kakinada SEZ Ltd., for development of Commercial Port at Kona village, Thondangi Mandal, East Godavari Dist., under PPP mode (DBFOT).

3. M/s. Kakinada Gateway Port Limited has signed the Concession Agreement on 21.11.2018 for development of Greenfield Commercial Port at Kona Village, Thondangi Mandal, EG Dist. of A.P. on DBFOT (Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer) basis.

4. In the reference 4th read above, the Director of Ports, Kakinada has submitted that the concessionare has requested for extension of time for financial closure by 12 months, as the conditions precedent have not been complied with by the Authority and the Director of Ports has requested the Government to examine and consider the request of Concessionaire for grant of extension of time up to 12 months from 21.11.2019 (another 280 days beyond initial 85 days i.e 365 days) or up to fulfilment of all the conditions precedent both by authority and the concessionaire whichever is earlier, for financial closure.

5. Government, after careful examination hereby extend time to the M/s. Kakinada Gateway Port Ltd., up to 12 months from 21.11.2019 (another 280 days beyond initial 85 days i.e 365 days) or up to fulfillment of all the conditions precedent both by authority and the concessionaire whichever is earlier, for financial closure of the project of development of Commercial Port at Kona village, Thondangi Mandal, East Godavari Dist., under PPP mode (DBFOT).

6. The Dy.Cheif Executive Officer, APMB, Kakinada shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The Chairman & Managing Director, INCAP, Vijayawada.
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The Secretary, MoS, GoI, New Delhi.,
The AG., AP., Hyderabad
The Pay & Accounts Officer, AP, Vijayawada
The Finance Dept.,
The GA (Cabinet) Dept.,
PS to Prl. Advisor to C.M.,
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SECTION OFFICER